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TO AMEMBASSY SANTIAGO

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E.O. 11652:GDS

TAGS:MASS, CI

SUBJECT:NOMINATION OF COMMANDER, US MILITARY GROUP, CHILE

REF: SANTIAGO 996

1. (C) DEFENSE REQUESTS CLEARANCE OF ASSIGNMENT OF COLONEL KENNETH E. GEORGE, USA, TO BE COMMANDER, US MILITARY GROUP, CHILE. DEPARTMENT PREPARED TO CLEAR THIS ASSIGNMENT SUBJECT TO YOUR CONCURRENCE. IN VIEW OF DOD PERSONNEL ASSIGNMENT PROCEDURES, YOUR VIEWS REQUESTED AT EARLIEST CONVENIENCE.

2. WE BELIEVE THAT THIS NOMINATION WILL RESOLVE PROBLEM RAISED REFTEL. THE JCS HAVE RECOMMENDED TO SECDEF THAT NOMINEE BE ASSIGNED AS COMUSMILGP CHILE BY DIRECTION OF THE PRESIDENT. IF YOU CONCUR, DOD WILL APPROVE THE NOMINATION, ASSIGN NOMINEE TO POSITION, AND AUTHORIZE HIM TO BE RATING OFFICER FOR ALL MILGP SECTION CHIEFS WHILE SERVING AS COMUSMILGP.

3. BIOGRAPHICAL DATA ON NOMINEE FOLLOWS:

A. DATE OF BIRTH: DECEMBER 25, 1926

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B. PRESENT ASSIGNMENT: CHIEF, ARMY SECTION, USMILGP,

CHILE AUG 74 TO PRESENT

C. MILITARY SCHOOLING

- (1) INFANTRY OFFICER BASIC COURSE, 1949
- (2) ARTILLERY OFFICER ADVANCED COURSE, 1956
- (3) US ARMY COMMAND AND GENERAL STAFF COLLEGE ASSOCIATE COURSE, 1960
- (4) US ARMY WAR COLLEGE, 1971
- D. EDUCATIONAL DEGREES: BE (BUSINESS), UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA, 1964
- E. SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE:
 - (1) CHIEF, IN-SERVICE REELISTMENT BRANCH, ENLISTED PERSONNEL DIRECTORATE, OFFICE FOR PERSONNEL OPERATIONS, WASH, DC FEB 64 TO FEB 67
 - (2) G3 ADVISOR, ADVISORY TEAM 100, US MILITARY ASSISTANCE COMMAND, VIETNAM MAY 67 TO DEC 67
 - (3) DEPUTY SENIOR ADVISOR, ADVISORY TEAM 100, US MILITARY ASSISTANCE COMMAND, VIETNAM DEC 67 TO JUL 68
 - (4) COMMANDER, 1ST BATTALION, 333D ARTILLERY FORT BLISS, TEXAS JUL 68 TO SEP 69
 - (5) DEPUTY COMMANDER, 6TH ARTILLERY GROUP (AD), FORT BLISS, TEXAS OCT 69 TO MAR 70
 - (7) SPECIAL PROJECTS OFFICER, AS ARMY WAR COLLEGE, CARLISLE BARRACKS, PENNSYLVANIA MAR 70 TO AUG 70
 - (8) COMMANDER, 18TH ARTILLERY GROUP (AD), OAKDALE, PENNSYLVANIA JUL 71 TO JUL 72
 - (9) ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G3, 1ST REGION, ARMY AIR DEFENSE COMMAND, STEWART FIELD, NEW YORK JUL 72 TO JUL 74
 - (10) CHIEF, ARMY SECTION, USMILGP, CHILE, AUG 74 TO PRESENT
- F. DATE OF RANK: FEBRUARY 27, 1970
- G. COMPONENT: REGULAR ARMY KISSINGER

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